## **NOTICE**

The Stephens County Board of Commissioners does hereby announce that the millage rate will be set at a meeting to be held at the Stephens County Historic Courthouse on July 25, 2017 at 6:30 p.m. and pursuant to the requirements of O.C.G.A. Section 48-5-32 does hereby publish the following presentation of the current year's tax digest and levy, along with the history of the tax digest and levy for the past five years.

## **CURRENT 2017 TAX DIGEST AND 5 YEAR HISTORY OF LEVY**

UNINCORPORATED	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Real & Personal	511,482,205	502,930,696	502,438,534	508,605,387	517,324,594	523,886,719
Motor Vehicles	38,943,070	40,721,560	33,866,840	25,143,260	19,744,710	15,737,860
Mobile Homes	7,117,229	6,793,313	6,561,408	6,301,377	6,242,681	6,304,557
Timber - 100%	131,059	145,950	118,139	355,312	359,803	378,875
Heavy Duty Equipment	223,062	54,000	145,800	1,780,900	196,170	138,363
Gross Digest	557,896,625	550,645,519	543,130,721	542,186,236	543,867,958	546,446,374
Less M& O Exemptions	109,665,843	110,024,544	114,403,682	114,877,203	115,368,216	118,682,450
Net M & O Digest	448,230,782	440,620,975	428,727,039	427,309,033	428,499,742	427,763,924
State Forest Land Assistance						
Grant Value	0	245,915	270,561	273,999	146,406	246,338
Adjusted Net M&O Digest	448,230,782	440,866,890	428,997,600	427,583,032	428,646,148	428,010,262
Gross M&O Millage	14.720	14.790	17.000	16.880	17.030	18.390
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Less Rollbacks (LOST&Insurance Premium)	3.400	3.470	3.340	3.470	3.620	3.480
Net M&O Millage	11.320	11.320	13.660	13.410	13.410	14.910
Net Taxes Levied	\$5,073,972	\$4,990,613	\$5,860,107	\$5,733,888	\$5,748,145	\$6,381,633
INCORPORATED	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Real & Personal	190,014,577	184,643,272	181,287,081	179,754,404	181,353,376	178,969,425
Motor Vehicles	12,977,010	13,438,720	10,905,870	7,859,040	5,954,200	4,546,000
Mobile Homes	260,300	346,786	333,297	351,831	367,872	373,044
Timber - 100%	8,986	0	19,174	3,765	0	13,456
Heavy Duty Equipment	0	0	211,730	198,794	0	210,000
Gross Digest	203,260,873	198,428,778	192,757,152	188,167,834	187,675,448	184,111,925
Less M& O Exemptions	31,157,437	30,757,720	30,136,764	30,797,135	31,001,482	28,132,103
Net M & O Digest	\$172,103,436	\$167,671,058	\$162,620,388	\$157,370,699	\$156,673,966	\$155,979,822
State Forest Land Assistance	. , ,					
Grant Value					0	0
Adjusted Net M&O Digest	172,103,436	167,671,058	162,620,388	157,370,699	156,673,966	155,979,822
Gross M&O Millage	14.720	14.790	17.000	16.880	17.030	18.390
Less Rollbacks (LOST)	3.400	3.470	3.340	3.470	3.620	3.480
Net M&O Millage	11.320	11.320	13.660	13.410	13.410	14.910
Net Taxes Levied	\$1,948,211	\$1,898,036	\$2,221,395	\$2,110,341	\$2,100,998	\$2,325,659
TOTAL COUNTY	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Total County Value	620,334,218	608,537,948	591,617,988	584,953,731	585,320,114	583,990,084
Total County Taxes Levied	\$7,022,183	\$6,888,650	\$8,081,502	\$7,844,230	\$7,849,143	\$8,707,292
Net Taxes \$ Increase	-\$396,799	-\$133,534	\$1,192,852	-\$237,272	\$4,913	\$858,149
Net Taxes % Increase	-5.35%	-1.90%	17.32%	-2.94%	0.06%	10.93%

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